FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural Marketing Service

DATE: December 29, 2005

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS; PURCHASES NEARING END

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 351,000 pounds of chicken fajita strips at a cost of approximately \$551,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

| Product | Pounds | Award Prices | No. of Bids | |
|--------------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------|--|
| | Accepted | Inv. No. 13 | Accepted | |
| chicken fajita strips | 351,000 | \$1.5311-\$1.6000 | 2 of 3 | |

It is also announced that the purchases for chicken fajita strips is nearing completion.

Next offers under Announcement PY-299 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

| Inv. Number | Product | Offer | Acceptance Not Later Than Date | Delivery Period |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 14 | chicken fajita Strips | Jan. 9 | Jan. 13 | Feb. 16-28, 2006 |

Total purchases of chicken fajita strips since the program was announced on June 8 follow:

| Product | Cumulative Pounds | Cumulative Dollars | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| chicken fajita strips | 7,059,000 | \$12,579,000 | |

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

The awards for chicken fajita strips made today under Announcement PY-299, Invitation 13, to be delivered Feb. 1 to Feb. 15, 2006, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY299

COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN INVITATION : 013

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS

PACK SIZE : 30 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: CRIDER'S, INC.

PLANT ADDRESS : STILLMORE GΑ

| ITEM | DESTINATION | | QUANTITY | PR | ICE PER |
|------|-------------|----|----------|----|---------|
| NUM | CITY | ST | (LBS) | (| LB) |
| | | | | | |
| 001 | ROCKY HILL | CT | 39,000 | \$ | 1.5431 |
| 002 | CONCORD | NH | 39,000 | \$ | 1.5521 |
| 003 | NEWPORT | MN | 39,000 | \$ | 1.5341 |
| 004 | SAN ANTONIO | TX | 39,000 | \$ | 1.5311 |
| 005 | CLEARFIELD | UT | 39,000 | \$ | 1.5741 |

TOTAL AWARDED: 195,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TONY DOWNS FOODS CO. PLANT ADDRESS : MADELIA MN

| ITEM | DESTINATION | | QUANTITY | PR | CICE PER |
|------|--------------|----|----------|----|----------|
| NUM | CITY | ST | (LBS) | (| LB) |
| | | | | | |
| 006 | FOREST GROVE | OR | 39,000 | \$ | 1.6000 |
| 007 | PUYALLUP | WA | 78,000 | \$ | 1.6000 |
| 008 | SPOKANE | WA | 39,000 | \$ | 1.6000 |

156,000 TOTAL AWARDED: